has been made by the World Bank. At the time of investment clearance by the Planning Commission, the total cost of the Project was estimated at Rs. 6406.04 crores as per 1987 price level. The proect cost has not been revised.

(b) and (c) Factual information about the Project are being given wide publicity within India and abroad with a view to dispel misgivings about the Project.

**Hydro-Geological projects taken by! Central Ground Water Board**

7271. SHRI VIREN J. SHAH. Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Ground Water Board (CGWB) have taken up any conjunctive use projects in different hydro-geological set up of the country;

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard;

(c) whether the CGWB have made any explanatory study in Amravati and Jalgaon districts of Maharashtra
and Kolar district of Karnataka; and

(d) if so, what are the details of this project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Central Ground Water Board, under the Scheme for Conjunctive Use of Surface and Ground Water, has taken up studies in 6 basins of the country viz. (i) Sarda Sahyak Command Area (Uttar Pradesh), (ii) Indira Gandhi Nahar Pariyojna (Rajasthan), (hi) Mahi Kadana Canal Command (Gujarat), (iv) Hirakud Command (Orissa), (v) Tungabhadra Command (Andhra Pradesh & Karnataka) and (vi) Ghataprabha Command (Karnataka).

(c) Yes Sir.

(d) Exploratory studies for artifl-cial recharge of ground water have been taken up by the Cental Ground Water Board in Orange and Banana belts of Amravati and Jalgaon districts of Maharashtra and Gauribi-danur and Mulbagal talukas of Kolar district in Karnataka.

**Irrigation Potential of the country**

7272. SHRI VIREN J. SHAH: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to 3tate:

(a) what are the details of the irrigation potential of the country by the year 2010 A.D.;

(b) what are the targets fixed and achieved in respect of each major project during eacn year of the Eighth Five Year Plan period, State-wise;and

(c) what steps have so far been taken for achieving the target?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) The likely irrigation potential through major and medium and minor irrigation shemes at the end of Eighth Plan (1992-97) will be around 96.88 million hectares. No further targets have yet been fixed.

(b) A statement showing State-wise targets of additional irrigation potential through major and medium and minor projects during Eighth Five Year Plan (1992-97), achievements during 1992-93 and targets during 1993.94 is enclosed. *(See* below) . Project-wise break up of targets have not been prepared.

(c) Irrigation has been termed as one of the priority sector? during the Eighth Five Year Plan. The strategy to achieve the target *inter-alia* include (i) priority to comple tion of on-going major and medium

projects, (ii) greater user participation in major and medium irrigation projects, (iii) speedy completion of large number of on-going surface water minor irrigation schemes and (v) conjunctive use of suface and ground water.

**Statement**

*Major ? Medium irrrigation—Trargets and achievements during Eighth Plan for creation of additional irrigation potantial.*

*{Thousand hectares)*

| S.No. | Name of State/Union Territory | Eighth Plan (1992-97 Target | Annual Plan (1992-93) Achievement | Annual Plan (1993-94) Target |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | *STATES* | | | |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh . . . | 419 | 40 | 45 |
| 2 | Arunachal Pradesh . . . | .. | .. | .. |
| 3 | Assam . . . . . | 120 | 3 | 10 |
| 4 | Bihar . . . . . | 315 | 38 | 40 |
| 5 | Goa . . . | 36 | .. | 2 |
| 6 | Gujarat . . . . . | 448 | 35 | 33 |
| 7 | Haryana . . . | 296 | 23 | 18 |
| 8 | Himachal Pradesh . . | 3 | .. | .. |
| 9 | Jammu & Kashmir . | 21 | 16 | 16 |
| 10 | Karnataka . . . | 401 | 57 | 117 |
| 11 | Kerala . . . | 148 | 88 | 53 |
| 12 | Madhya Pradesh . . . | 450 | 63 | 60 |
| 13 | Maharashtra . . | 400 | 50 | 60 |
| 14 | Manipur . . | 54 | 3 | 3 |
| 15 | Meghalaya . . | 4 | .. | .. |
| 16 | Mizoram . . . . . | .. | .. | .. |
| 17 | Nagaland . . | .. | .. | .. |
| 18 | Orissa . . | 334 | 35 | 41 |
| 19 | Punjab . . . . | 176 | 19 | 41 |
| 20 | Rajasthan . . . . | 289 | 43 | 55 |
| 21 | Sikkim . . . . . | .. | .. | .. |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 22 | Tamil Nadu . . . . | 10 | 5 | 2 |
| 23 | Tripura . . . . . | 13 | 1 | 4 |
| 24 | Uttar Pradesh . . . | 976 | 70 | 90 |
| 25 | West Bengal . . . . | 171 | 17 | 17 |
| | TOTAL (States): | 5084 | 603 | 708 |
| | *UNION TERRITORIES*: | 4 | .. | .. |
| | TOTAL (All-India) | 5088 | 603 | 708 |

**Shceme to control Floods**

7273. SHRI RAMDAS AGAR-WAL: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have so far formulated any scheme to control floods in the country and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether the World Bankl foreign organisations have so far offered any foreign assistance to India in this regard and whether any request has been received from State Governments by the Central Government for reimbursement of such foreign assistance for implementation of flood control programme in their respective States; and

(c) if so, details thereof and steps taken by Government in this regard so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUUNGON): (a) The investigations, planning and execution *dl* flood control schemes are primarily the responsibilities of the State Government. The Centre renders assistance in works that are technical, catalytical and ^promotional in nat aire. The Rashtriya Barh Ayog (1976.80) set up by the Central Government for identifying measures to check floods and their better management gave 207 recommendations. The Ganga Flood Control Board with its Secretariat Ganga-Flood Control Commission was established in 1972. The Ganga Flood Control Com-mision has prepared comprehensive master plans for flood management for all the 23 river systems of Ganga. Similarly, Brahmaputra Board established in 1981 has prepared comprehensive master plan for flood management in Bhahmaputra & Barak basins. These master plans alongwith long term and short term recommendations have been sent to State Governments for formulating detailed schemes after carrying out ground surveys, investigations and taking up their implementation.

(b) and (c) At present there Is no proposal of World Bank | foreign organisations assistance specificaly ■*iov* the flood control.

**उत्तर प्रदेश में सिंचाई परियोजनाओं के कारण विस्थापित हुए लोगों का पुनर्वास**

7274. श्री ईश दत्त यादव: क्या जल संसाधन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार का उत्तर प्रदेश में कुछ सिंचाई परियोजनाओं के निष्पादन